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## Training incident at National Training Center

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Hawaii, and FORT IRWIN, Calif. – One Soldier died and nine others were injured in a vehicle accident early Thursday morning at Fort Irwin, Calif.

25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division units are currently at Fort Irwin conducting training in preparation for deployment to Iraq later this year.

"The entire Army Hawaii community is saddened by this loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with the families and friends of our Soldiers," said Maj. Gen. Benjamin R. Mixon, Commanding General, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division and United States Army Hawaii.

Names of the dead and injured are being withheld pending notification of family members.

The cause of the accident is under investigation.

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